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No. 10,329—New Series. BOMBAY:—SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 1882.

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above:—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	Friday.
— THIBET	2393	450	C. Fraser	21st April
L. DECCAN	3129	500	J. B. Chapman.	28th ,,
— VENETIA	2726	450	A. B. Daniell..	5th May.
L. CLYDE	4100	750	E. M. Edmond	12th ,,
— KHIVA	2609	450	G. Scrivener ..	19th ,,
L. INDUS	3462	600	S. D. Shallard.	26th ,,
			Tuesday.	
— BOKHARA	2232	500	J. Reeves	30th May.
L. ROHILLA	3800	700	W. Barratt ..	6th June.
— KASHGAR	2621	450	R. G. Murray ..	13th ,,
L. VERONA	3116	600	E. Ashdown ..	20th ,,
— SURAT	3142	550	W. E. Breeze..	27th ,,

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-head, at Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, and MARSEILLES, by every Mail [illegible] steamers marked L. proceeded direct to London [illegible] Plymouth, by the others Passengers change vessels at Suez.

Return Tickets are now issued at reduced rates as under: SIX MONTHS—From date of departure to that of return.

	Via Brindisi. both ways.	Via Brindisi. one way.	Via London. both ways.
First Class ..	Rs. 900	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 1,050
Second Class.	Rs. 500	Rs. 550	Rs. 600
SIX MONTHS.			
First Class ..	Rs. 1,150	Rs. 1,200	Rs. 1,250
Second Class.	Rs. 600	Rs. 650	Rs. 700

STEAM TO PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, & SYDNEY, CALLING AT CEYLON.

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1882.
ANCONA	3091	600	E. G. Stead	21st April.
BRINDISI	3342	500	G. Lee	6th May.

	1st Class.	2nd Class.
Return Tickets are now issued	Rs.	Rs.
To K. George's Sound, Adelaide, Melbourne or Sydney and back (available for nine months)	600	375
To Galle and back (available for two months)	150	75
To Penang or Singapore and back do.	450	225

Passengers for Australia change steamers at Galle.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-head, at Mazagon, at 3 p. m., on the day of sailing.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, April 6, 1882.

RUBATTINO STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

THE Regular Mail steamers, under contract with Italian Government, leave GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th on the 1st of each month, calling at LEGHORN, NAPLES, MESSINA, CATANIA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN and vice versa.

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY.

To all Ports of Italy.		To Marseilles.	
I Class ..	Rs. 800 Including	I Class ..	520 Including
II do.	340 wines.	II do.	350 wines.
III do.	140 Without food.	III do. ..	145 Without food.

Children under 3 years, free of charge.
Children not above 10 years, half fare.
Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE OF CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Hand-books. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be ascertained from the Agent.

The following or other 1st Class Steamers will leave Bombay:—

MANILLA, on Monday, 1st May, 1882.
GIAVA, on Monday, 15th May, 1882.
SUMATRA, on Thursday, 1st June, 1882.

Passengers and heavy baggage are carried on board, free of charge, by the Company's steam launch, leaving Apollo Bunder between 10 and 11 a.m.

Through Railway Tickets to London, available for 17 days.

From Genoa.	I Class Calais Route.	95	Brighton Route Rs 80
,,	II do. do.	70	do. .. 55
From Naples.	I do. do.	145	do. .. 120
,,	II do. do.	105	do. .. 95

For Hand-books of Information, rates of Freight, &c., apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agt. Rubattino S. N. Company.
Season House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.

Bombay, 3rd April, 1882.

MESSRS. R. RUBATTINO & CO.'S EXTRA ITALIAN MAIL STEAMER "GIAVA."

2,000 Tons, 400 H.P., will sail for NAPLES, GENOA AND MARSEILLES on the 15th May, 1882.

THIS New Steamer is fitted out with the latest improvements for Passenger accommodation.

F. BOZZONI,
Agent.

Bombay, 4th April, 1882.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYDS' S. N. Co.

STEAM TO ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, AND TRIESTE.

Steamers.	Captains.	Tons	HP.	To sail.
s. s. VESTA	C. Marussig	2,301	500	8th May.
s. s. ORION (new)	G. Manorcich	3,500	500	8th June.

They will perform their passages AT INCREASED SPEED, thus reducing the average passage from BOMBAY to BRINDISI (via Canal) to 19½ days and to TRIESTE to 21 days.

Passage-money by these two voyages, Trieste or Brindisi, 1st Class. Rs. 500.

STEAM TO ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE.

Steamers.	Captains.	Tons	HP.	To sail
s. s. HELIOS	A. Tercig	2,000	400	8th July.
s. s. HUNGARIA	G. Sturli	1,982	400	8th Aug.

Rates of Passage-money (exclusive of Wines and Spirits, which can be had on board at moderate prices) as under:—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck.
To Trieste	Rs. 400	Rs. 280	Rs. 140
To Cyprus (via Port Said)	375	295	143
To Port Said..	320	255	131
To Suez	300	240	122
To Aden	170	130	66

STEAM TO COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAPORE AND HONGKONG.

Steamers.	Captains.	Tons	HP.	To sail
s. s. HELIOS	A. Tercig	2,000	400	2nd May.
s. s. HUNGARIA	G. Sturli	1,982	400	2nd June.

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

INSURANCES effected by the General Insurance Company (Limited), Marine Branch.

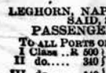
For further particulars, Freight, Passage, &c., &c., apply to

J. JANNI, Agent.

Sassoon House, 7, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, April 12th, 1882.

HALL LINE OF STEAMERS, BOMBAY AND LIVERPOOL,

CALLING AT MALTA.



THE following sailings have been arranged:—

S. S.	Captain	Tons.	H. P.		1882.
MERTON HALL	J. Verril..	4,100	500	,,	27th April.
WISTOW HALL	T. Collin..	2,700	400	,,	17th May.
RYDAL HALL	G. Lloyd..	2,700	400	,,	17th June.
SPEKE HALL	W. Brand.	2,700	400	,,	15th July.

FARE TO LIVERPOOL, Rs. 500.

Special terms can be made for passengers leaving during June to November and returning March to July.

These fast Steamers have been specially built and adapted in every way for the Bombay Trade.

Each Steamer carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS.

For plans, hand-books of information, and other particulars as to Passages apply to EDWARD BATES & Co., and KING, KING and Co.

CARGO.

Cargo is carried via Liverpool on favourable terms on through Bills of Lading to London, Havre, Hamburg, Bremen, Antwerp, Ghent, Amsterdam, Rotterdam, Dunkirk, New York, Boston, and Philadelphia.

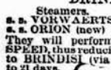
The shipment of packages from up-country by this line is also undertaken.

EDWARD BATES & Co.,
Agents.

33, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 13th January, 1882.

CHEAP PASSAGES.

S. S. IOLANI FOR TRIESTE & VENICE, sailing about 14th inst.
S. S. ALLEGHANY FOR HAVRE, sailing about 20th inst.



THESE steamers have comfortable accommodation for a few passengers on reasonable terms. Apply to

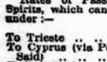
W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

Bombay, 3rd April, 1882.

ANCHOR LINE.

S. S. INDIA, 2,500 Tons, 500 H.P.

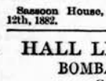
BOMBAY TO LONDON *VIA* NAPLES OR MARSEILLES.



THIS steamer will sail as above on the 15th May.

Fare to Naples or Marseilles .. Rs. 400
,, to London *via* Naples or Marseilles .. .. ,, 500

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.



COOK'S NEW SYSTEM OF INTERNATIONAL TRAVELLING TICKETS, available for one or more passengers by any route from all chief Railway Stations in India to EGYPT, PALESTINE, CENTRAL EUROPE, GREAT BRITAIN, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, CHINA, JAPAN, AMERICA, and ALL PARTS of the GLOBE.

The arrangements for travelling through India are under the special authority of the Government of India and the Secretary of State for India, and are intended exclusively for International Travellers.

As the sole accredited agents of the Italian Government Railway Administration, THOS. COOK & SON issue tickets to through passengers from India, which will enable them to visit Naples, Rome, Florence, Milan, &c., at reduced fares.

For full particulars apply to THOS. COOK & SON, BOMBAY (originators of the European

SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited),

Intend to despatch Steamers as follows:—

BOMBAY TO LONDON.

S. S. KANGRA, 1,952 tons, Captain C. N. Wood, sails on TUESDAY, 2nd May, 1882, at 5 p.m., calling at Kurrachee and Lisbon, and is due to arrive in London on 11th June.

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. HUZARA, 2,078 Tons, on WEDNESDAY, 19th April, 1882, at 4 p.m., calling at Ratnagherry, Vingoria, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Beypore, Calicut, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Pondicherry, Madras, Cocanada, Visagapatam, Bimlipatam, Vizagapore, False Point, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. S. CALCUTTA, 863 Tons, on TUESDAY, 18th April, 1882, at 4 p.m., calling at Kurrachee, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein, Bushire, Fao, and Muscat, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. S. ORIENTAL, 1,469 Tons, on FRIDAY, 21st April, 1882, at 11 a.m.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR, MOZAMBIQUE, IN HAMBANE, QUILLIMANE, AND DELAGOA BAY.

THE S. S. JAVA, 1,465 Tons, on THURSDAY, 27th April, 1882.

N.B.—EXPORTS.—To save shippers the trouble of clearing and shipping, shipments not exceeding five tons will be received, and Bills of Lading granted in exchange at the Offices of the undersigned.

Railway receipts for packages from up-country should be forwarded to the undersigned, who will undertake clearance and shipment.

IMPORTS.—The undersigned undertake the landing, clearing and delivery in Bombay or forwarding by rail or steamer packages by the Company's Steamers. Bills of Lading and particulars of contents and value should accompany forwarding instructions.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.
Bombay, 13th April, 1882. Agents.

CLAN LINE.

THE following sailings have been fixed:—

	Tons.			
CLAN LAMONT	2,100	for Liverpool	about	20th inst.
CLAN GORDON	2,200	,, Liverpool	,,	15th prox.
CLAN ALPINE	2,200	,, London	,,	10th ,,
CLAN MACLEAN	2,400	,, Liverpool	,,	31st ,,

Passage money to London or Liverpool .... Rs. 450

For further particulars apply to

FINLAY, MUIR & Co.,
Bombay, 1st April, 1882. Agents.

NOTICE.

ANCHOR LINE.

S. S. ARMENIA,
3,500 TONS, 700 H. P.,

WILL SAIL POSITIVELY on SATURDAY, the 15th instant.

W. & A. GRAHAM & CO., Agents.

ANGLO-INDIAN AND GENERAL AGENCY, (Established 1867)

28, APOLLO STREET, BOMBAY, AND 27, LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON, E. C.

PASSENGER DEPARTMENT.

PASSAGES booked (free of charge) and for family groupes at reduced fares by the Steamers of the following named Companies:—

Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company.
British India Steam Navigation Company.
Hall Line.
Anchor Line.
Rubattino Company.—Italian Royal Mail Steamers.
Austro-Hungarian Lloyds' Steam Navigation Company.
Clan Line.

And by other well-known Lines whose Steamers during the fair season give passage on very reasonable terms. Baggage, Kit, &c., warehoused or shipped. Packages, Cases, Parcels, &c., of any size or shape forwarded at lowest rates of freight. Sovereigns supplied and Remittances effected at favorable rates of Exchange. Passengers met on boardship in India and England, and every information and assistance afforded them. Telegrams receive immediate attention. "Safe arrival" including Names and Addresses, telegraphed at a cost of two words, Rs. 5-8.

WM. WATSON & Co.,
General Agents.

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per s. s. INCHMAREE, from LIVERPOOL, are hereby requested to present their BILLS of LADING for our countersignature and to TAKE DELIVERY of their respective goods from the Prince's Dock. All chafed or damaged goods must be surveyed before removal from the Dock, and no claims will be admitted after the steamer leaves.

SIR CHARLES FORBES & Co.,
Agents for Captain and owners, s. s. Inchmaree.
April 12, 1882.

NOTICE OF ARRIVAL.

S. S. HUGHENDEN FROM LONDON.

THIS steamer has ARRIVED, and is discharging in the Prince's Dock.

CONSIGNEES, especially of MATCHES, are requested to TAKE DELIVERY of their goods at once.

No claims will be entertained after the steamer leaves.

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Bombay, 12th April, 1882. Agents.

NOTICE OF ARRIVAL.

S. S. SICILY FROM LIVERPOOL.

THIS steamer has ARRIVED, and is discharging in the Prince's Dock.

CONSIGNEES are requested to TAKE DELIVERY of their goods at once.

No claims will be entertained after the steamer leaves.

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Bombay, 12th April, 1882. Agents.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BASS'S BEER IN WOOD,

IMPORTED DIRECT FROM MESSRS. BASS & Co.

SHIPMENTS of the above, specially selected from the finest brewings, are received fortnightly per mail steamer.

Per Hogshead, Cash.....Rs. 78
Per Kilderkin, Cash..... 30

TREACHER & Co., LIMITED.

PETIT MEDOC CLARET.

TREACHER & Company's importation of this Wine remains *unequalled* at the price. The Public are respectfully requested to compare the quality with similar Brands, (80 styled) recently shipped to this market.

Per doz. Quarts, Cash, Rs. 13.
Per doz. Pints, Cash, Rs. 7-8

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

DEVONSHIRE CIDER,

BOTTLED BY FOSTER.

THE NEW SEASON'S PREPARATION of this deliciously refreshing Beverage has arrived, and fully maintains its high reputation.

Quarts per doz., Cash, Rs. 8 0
Pints ,, ,, 5 8

SOLE AGENTS.

TREACHER & COMPANY (Ld.)
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

TRICHINOPOLY CHEROOTS AND CIGARS,

PREPARED expressly for TREACHER & Co., Limited, from finest, selected and thoroughly matured Tobacco, and acknowledged to be the cheapest and best Smokes procurable.

		Cash prices. Rs. as.
NOBLE'S Cheroot shape, without straw	box of 100	1 12
DAWSON'S Cheroot shape, with straw	,, 100	1 0
	,, 250	4 0
THOMSON'S, Cheroot shape, with straw	,, 100	1 12
	,, 250	4 0
DINDIGUL'S Cheroot shape, with straw	,, 100	2 0
	,, 250	4 0
HAVANNAH'S Cigar shape	,, 100	2 8
	,, 250	6 8
TREACHER'S GEM MUSTER, Cigar shape	,, 100	2 0
TREACHER'S MUSTER, slightly barrel shaped	,, 100	2 4
	,, 250	5 4
CLUB MUSTER, Cheroot and Cigar shape	,, 100	3 0

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

PASSENGERS per S. S. "ARMENIA" must be on board before 6 o'clock p. m. TO-DAY, as she will leave the Prince's Dock shortly after that hour.

W. & A. GRAHAM & CO., Agents, Anchor Line.

Bombay, 15th April, 1882.

APPLICATIONS for the OFFICE of BULLION-KEEPER in H. M.'s Mint will be received up to close of this month. Salary Rs. 250. Security in Government paper Rs. 25,000.

J. H. WHITE, Col., R. E., Mint Master.

H. M.'s Mint, Bombay, 14th April, 1882.

TO LET, one BUNGALOW on Cumballa Hill. Two Bungalows at Malabar Hill. One Bungalow at Choupati. A few furnished Bungalows on Malabar Hill. Also a few Bungalows at Byculla, Grant Road, and Khetwady. All rents moderate. Apply to

B. SAKARAMJEE & CO.,
17, Forbes Street. House and Estate Agents.

FRESH IMPORTATIONS EX S.S. "FRANCE" OF NESTLE'S SWISS MILK and ANGLO-SWISS MILK, Milk-maid brand. } Cash 7 annas per tin.

TREACHER & COMPANY (Ld.)

SILKS.

Rich Black and Colored Silks, Satins, Satin de Lyon, Satin Merveilleux, Shaded Satins, Shot Surahs, Damassics, Reversible Shot Surahs, Striped Satins, Silk Velvets, Damassie Velveteens, Plushes.

PATTERNS POST FREE.

WATSON & COMPANY,
ESPLANADE HOTEL,
BOMBAY.

SPECIAL SHORT ADVERTISEMENTS.

The scale for these Advertisements is as follows:—Not exceeding 3 lines, Re. 1; each succeeding line, As. 8. No trade advertisements are admitted under this scale.

ELPHINSTONE CRICKET CLUB.—Members and ex-members are invited to attend the "Band Exhibition," to-morrow (Sunday), at 6 P.M., in the Grand Panorama Tent.

CIGARS.—Trichinopoly, Dawson's, Thompson's, Dindigul, Havannahs and Burmahs. Prices very moderate.—N. C. DALAL, 6, Church Gate-street.

A CHILD'S PONY will be SOLD at BENNETT'S AUCTION THIS DAY.

BALMAIN'S LUMINOUS PAINTS.—Stock just received. Catalogues, &c., sent on application to C. H. B. FORBES & Co.

TO LET, from 1st June, the UPPER-FLOOR of 31, Elphinstone Circle. For terms apply to JOHN FLEMING, 31, Elphinstone Circle.

MRS. PRYER, Milliner and Dress-maker. Ladies' own Materials fashionably made up. Charges moderate. 8, Meadow-street.

WANTED, to ADVANCE upon personal security to a good gentleman who holds good appointment. Apply to B., care of this paper.

FOR SALE, a splendid nickel-plated Club Bicycle Ball bearings, best maker in Coventry, latest patent, very great bargain. Apply, care of this office.

INDIA-RUBBER STAMP Co. and Brass and Copper-plate Engravers, Monogram printers. Stamps of all descriptions cheaper than any other maker, also Marking Ink for linen.

STRAYED, in the Fort, on Tuesday evening last, a FOX-TERRIER Dog, white with tanned ears and muzzle, and one spot on hind quarter. Answers to the name of "Spot." A reward will be given.—J. WESTALL, Bombay Club.

"MESSRS. PHILLIPS & Co.,—Please send me a large bottle of Cough Linctus. It is the best I have ever used." Comment would be superfluous on testimonials such as the above. Per bottle 8 and 14 as., at their Pharmacy, 17, Church Gate-street.

JUST received from the best Trichinopoly Manufactory, the Cheroots expressly ordered by us we can confidently recommend to smokers. The quality are, Dawson's, Noules, New Brand, French Brand, Barton's New Brand, and many other sorts, from Rs. 1-8 to Rs. 2-6 per box of 100. Trial order solicited.—BARTON & Co., Meadow-street.

FURNISHED ROOMS with BOARD for gentlemen. Apply to No. 21, Sassoon Buildings, East Block.

MRS. COONEY SMITH, Midwife, late of Calcutta, 20 years experience. Terms moderate. Apollo House, Fort, entrance Marine and Apollo-street.

FOR SALE, two English-built single BROUGHAMS, one Victoria PHAETON and one open CARRIAGE. Apply CARRIAGE COMMISSION ROOM, Byculla.

MAHABLESHWAR and Sattara ready-laid Dawk.—Comfortable Phaetons and Tongas can be had from Peroshaw Burjorjee, at *very very* moderate rates.

BILLIARDS.—Skittle or Devil's Pool, complete with Skittles, Counters, Pool Basket. Rules of the game and Diagram at Rs. 10 at JOHN ROBERTS and Co.

AUSTRALIAN HORSES.—The Australian Horses expected by us have arrived, and we solicit an early inspection of the same. C. STEPHENS & Sons.

RUINART'S Champagne, green seal, established 1791. Magnums, Rs. 98 per doz.; quarts, Rs. 50 per doz.; pints, Rs. 26 per doz. Apply EWART, Latham & Co.

JOCKBURN and CAMPBELL'S EDINBURGH WHISKY, Rs. 36 per dozen. Apply EWART, LATHAM and Co., 3, Church Lane.

H. SHARMAN-CRAWFORD'S Amontillado SHERRY, Rs. 28 per doz.; Vino de Puro, Rs. 24 per doz. Apply EWART, LATHAM and Co.

BASS'S Champagne Ale, bull-dog brand, bottled by R. Porter and Co., first prize at Melbourne Intl. Exhibition. In cases 4 doz. quarts Rs. 5-6 per doz; 6 dozen pints Rs. 3-6 per doz. Apply EWART, LATHAM & Co.

MACLEAN'S GUIDE to BOMBAY and BOMBAY DIRECTORY for 1882. Price, Rs. 5; with postage, Rs. 5-4. To be had at the *Bombay Gazette* Office.

TWO and-a-half miles from Andheri station on the sea-side at Versovah, sites for Bungalows to be let at moderate rents. Apply to "A. B.," care of office of this paper.

FOR SALE, new and complete set of PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS and CHEMICALS, Rs. 250. Apply to "TRIPOD," care of Manager, *Bombay Gazette*, Bombay.

TO LET, a desireable BUNGALOW on Cumballa Hill, quite open to the westerly breeze, with a nice garden, &c. Apply to COWASJEE DADY LIMJEE, 31, Cumballa Hill.

TO LET, an UPPER-STOREYED pleasantly-situated HOUSE, Bellasis-road, close to Byculla Club. Gas and water laid on. Apply to Mr. F. ROWLAND, Byculla.

SINGER'S GENUINE LOCKSTITCH SEWING MACHINES for every class of work for cash or on small monthly payments. No. 2, Church Gate Street, Bombay.

MAHABLESHWAR READY-LAID DAK. Comfortable Phaetons and Tongas can be had from Framjee Ardaseer, Mail Contractor, Civil Lines, Poona at a very moderate rate.

FOR SALE, a pair of BAY ARABS, 5 years and 15 hands respectively, thoroughly broken to double harness, well matched, temperate movers. Apply to C. STEPHENS & SONS, Girgaum.

TO BE LET, from 1st June, a most convenient BUNGALOW on Cumballa Hill, containing drawing, dinning, billiard-room, four dressing and bath-rooms. Rent Rs. 300, or with [illegible] Rs. 250. Address A. BLASCHECK, Meadow-street.

TO LET, a commodious newly-built four storeyed HOUSE at Hornby-row, open on four sides, commanding an excellent sea view. Water, gas, and patent closets laid in. Apply to GOCULDASS DEWJEE, at the office of Messrs. Ritchie, Steuart & Co.

AUSTRALIAN HORSES.—Just arrived a small batch of horses from Calcutta in good condition and specially selected, consisting of a very handsome team of Chesnuts, pair of Bays, and weight carrying Cobs. To be seen at Scott & Co.'s Stables, Girgaum.

TO BE SOLD at Bennett's auction on Saturday two Government Arab Stallions, "Desert Born," a chesnut Arab, 14-3½ high; "Diggee Wee," a half Arab, 14-2½ high. Both horses are very handsome and powerful, and fit for either saddle or harness. To be seen at Scott & Co.'s Stables. Also a very handsome Chesnut Walker Charger, the property of an officer who has left Bombay.

GRUYERE, EDAM AND CHEDDAR CHEESE, also BACON, 12 as. per lb., at PEARSE'S, 22, Apollo-street, and 23, Hampart Row.

GLASS AND CROCKERY-WARE.

TREACHER and COMPANY, LIMITED, import only the finest quality Glass, of the choicest patterns, and as their SUPPLIES are purchased DIRECT from the leading Manufacturers in England, IN THE LOWEST TERMS FOR CASH, they are in a position to supply Goods at a much lower rate than those charged by Dealers, who incur heavy Agency charges, eventually levied from the Consumer.

TREACHER'S SETS OF GLASS WARE, complete for 12 persons, consist of 2 each Pint and Quart Decanters, 1 Claret Jug, 12 each Champagne, Claret, Hock, Port, Sherry, Liqueur, Custard and Finger Glasses, 12 each Beer and Soda-water Tumblers, and 12 Flower Tubes.

Half sets for 6 persons, consist of 2 Quart Decanters, 6 each Champagne, Claret, Hock, Port, Sherry, Liqueur, Custard and Finger Glasses, 6 each Beer and Soda-water Tumblers.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 14.

LAST night's telegrams report no alteration in Government Stocks or silver, quotations still being 3 per cent. Consols 101⅞, 5 per cent. French Rentes 118½, Sterling 3½ per cent. Loan 102¼, 4 per cent Rupee Paper 84½, and 4½ per cents. 91⅜. Bank Shares are quoted—Orientals £17-10, Chartered £23-10, Mercantile £17, Hongkong £49-10.

The Bank of England returns for the week show considerable strengthening in the Reserve, which has risen from 37 per cent. to 42 per cent. of the Liabilities. There has been a very large decrease in the Bills discounted, viz., £4,300,000, while the reserve of Notes had increased £200,000, and Bullion £100,000.

METALS for the past two days have been quoted a little lower. The reported rate for Copper Braziers is now £75, Wallaroo £69, Yellow Metal 6⅜. Spelter is quoted as before, £11-5. The rate of freight for dead weight from London to Bombay is 12s. 6d.

Linseed is quoted to arrive *vid* Cape 47, *vid* Canal 46. Other prices of seeds unaltered.

The Liverpool Cotton market is reported by Reuter unchanged, but Mid. Uplands are quoted 1-16 higher, viz., 6 11-16d., and arrivals were firm. Surats to arrive are quoted

Dhollera Fine, Fine clause, April-May shipt., Cnl. 5 21-32d
Broach Good, Good clause, March-April do. 6 1-16d.

In America the receipts were only 3,000 bales, and prices there had advanced 1-16 on spot and 11 points for July future, the quotations being 12 3-16 and 12·67 respectively.

In consequence of these improved advices our Cotton market here to-day has been much better. There has been more disposition to buy, but much business has not resulted owing to sellers holding out for a greater advance than exporters generally will pay. Prices are, however, from Re. 1 to Rs. 3 per candy higher, the best demand and the greatest advances being in the better kinds. Business has been done during the day at the following rates: Good Broach at Rs. 23 for ready lots, but sellers will not contract for forward delivery at this rate. Good Oomras have been sold ready at Rs. 195 and Fully Good at Rs. 200. There has also been business done in Good Bhownugger at Rs. 193 to 194, and Fine Bhownugger at Rs. 205. Some lots of Good to Fine saw-ginned Dharwar have found purchasers at Rs. 200.

In Government Paper the advance which took place last night in 4 per cents. to 101⅛ brought out many sellers at that rate, and consequently we close weak at 101 5-16. 4½ per cents. we quote at 108¾.

Bank of Bombay shares are firm at 773½, but Nationals are not quoted higher than Rs. 95. Colaba Lands are firm at Rs. 785.

Press Companies' shares are in good demand, and in some cases our quotations are slightly advanced; but Spinning shares are still rather dull, and in some instances again rather lower.

EXCHANGE rates have certainly been firmer to-day than when the market closed last night. Some Banks would not buy better than 9-16 for ready bills 3 months' sight, and altogether the tone was firm. Some business was done in Francs for May delivery at 217.

We give the closing quotations as follows:—

	Demand.	3 ms.'	4 ms.'	6 ms.'
Bank	1s. 8¾d.	1s. 8 15-32d.	1s. 8½	1s. 8 9-16
		3 months'	6 months.	
Credits		1s. 8 17-32d.	1s. 8 23-32d.	
Documents		1s. 8 19-32d.	1s. 8 25-32d.	
Francs		217½	219½	

FREIGHTS.—The s. s. Inchrhona was filled up to-day at 32-6 for Liverpool, and the Hall Line for the same port have booked seeds and wheat for June and July at 32-6 and 33-9.

For London *via* the Cape the Eastern Chief, which has just arrive, has to-day booked 700 bales of cotton at 50.

For Bremerherhaven the Bridgewater has been chartered for a full cargo for April and May loading, and for the U. K or Continent the Transit has been chartered for a full cargo at 47-6, May loading.

To-day's Calcutta telegram quotes 4 per cent. Rupee Paper 101½, and 4½ 108½, 4 months' Bank Bills 1 8 7-16, 6 months' credits 1 8 11-16, and 6 months' Documents, 1 8¾. The rate on Bombay for Demand Bills was 100 1-16, and on Madras 100⅛. Bank of Bengal shares are quoted Rs. 850, and National Rs. 100.

Freights were firm; Jute 528. 6d., and Rice and Linseed 55. Unfixed tonnage is given at 11,000 tons.

Sugar is quoted Benares 11-8. Gunny-bags, Twills Rs. 32-12, and Plains Rs. 25-12.

Linseed is quoted Rs. 3-12, Rape Rs. 3-9, and Fair Bengal Cotton Rs. 13.

The Piece-goods market was unchanged.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS

	Shares.	Am't.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash Rates.
INDIAN BANKS.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	5p.ct.	773½
Bank of Bengal	12,000	500	all	10 do.	850
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	5 do.	700
EXCHANGE BANKS.		£	£		
Agra Bank	100,000	100	all	3 do.	130
National Bank of India	37,500	20	12½	2 do.	95

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad S. & W. Company	600	1,000	500	80	1,425
Parell S. & W. Co. Ld.	2,500	400	400	50	275
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	30,000	1,000	100	Rs. 10	138
New issue	..	100	50	..	80
Alfred Manufacturing Company	1,000	1,700	500	30 p. s	575
Alliance Cotton & Silk Manufg. Co., Ld.	1,800	1,000	..	Rs. 50	790
Bhownugger Mills	300	2,000	2,000	100	850
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 70	915
Central India S. & W. Company	2,500	500	500	Rs. 4	715
Coorla Mills	300	500	500	50	885
Do. Spinning	3,000	2,000	all	nil	555
Commerce S. & W. Co.	750	500	all	Rs. 25	675
Hindoostan (New issue)	400	100	100	..	100
Hydraabad S. & W. Co.	1,000	500	400	20	555
Company	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 80	1,020
Jaffer Alli Company	700	1,000	1,000	70 p. s	1,130
Jewraj Shalloo					
Khandelah	600	500	500	50	690
Khatao Mackunice		1,000	1,000	Rs. 75	975
Madras United		1,000	1,000	30	915
Mahalukhmi		400	1,000	Rs. 60	930
Manockjee Petit's			1,000	100 p. s	2,125
Manugon Spinning Co.	5,000		1,000	Rs. 55	830
Morarjee Goculdas	1,050			100	1,380
National Spinning	500			15 p. s	235
New Great Eastern	1,400			80	1,170
Oriental	4,000	625		50	940
Prince of Wales Spinning Company	1,500	500	500		615
Sassoon S. & W. Co.	1,500	1,000	1,000		
Sholapore Mills	500	1,000	1,000	50 p.	
Soonderdas	750	1,000	1,000		
Southern India	500	500	Rs. 30	Rs. 40	
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	1,000	60	
Western India S. & M. Company	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 45	915

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bombay Saw Mills	00	1,000	1,000	100	450
Bombay Ice Manufacturing Co., Limited.	1,250	100	100	5 p.c	145x / 130d
Bombay Burmah Trading Corporation.	1,000	2,500	1,500	225	2,420
Indian Guarantee Suretyship Association	5,000	100	10	10 p.ct.	10
Kurrachee Ice Co., Ld.	1,100	100	100	..	100
Kurrachee Landing and Shipping Co.	500	500	300	90	410
Mechanics' Building Co.	4,000	50	50	3 p.ct	12
Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company.	5,000	200	50	5 p.ct.	50
Oriental Loan Association	5,000	20	20	10 p.ct.	20
Prince of Wales Fire Insurance	250	1,000	1,000	Rs. 100	1,075
Ripon Gold Mining Co., Ld.	30,000 A	10	6	..	2½
Do.	1,000 B	100	100	..	100
Treacher & Company.	2,000	500	all	Rs. 90	985
Thacker & Company.	1,000	100	100	15	190
Wynaad Gold Mining Co. Ld.	20,000	25	20	..	10nl.
Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Mining Co. Limited.	42,000		5	..	..

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE ship Citadel, 1,362 tons, Captain W. Magee, will sail to-day for Liverpool, with a general cargo.

THE steamer Sultan, 1,354 tons, Captain C. R. Frost, sailed yesterday for Liverpool, with a general cargo.

THE steamer Bessie Morris, 1,119 tons, Captain F. D. Moffet, sailed yesterday for Antwerp, with a general cargo.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Colaba, 1,115 tons, Captain R. Henderson, sailed yesterday for Rangoon with a general cargo.

THE steamer Hallamshire, 873 tons, Captain W. T. Pearce, sailed yesterday for London, via Jeddah, with a general cargo and 60 deck passengers.

THE steamer Jolani, 981 tons, Captain J. Adair, sailed yesterday for Trieste, &c., with a general cargo and the following passengers:—Mr. French, Mr. Jervis, and two deck.

THE ship Beau Uamba, 1,359 tons, Captain F. Read, arrived in harbour on the 13th instant from Liverpool (29th Oct.), with a cargo of 1,920 tons coals. The vessel is consigned to the Captain.

THE steamer North Durham, 1,227 tons, Captain T. Williams, arrived in harbour on the 13th instant from Marseilles (18th March) in ballast. The vessel is consigned to Messrs. W. and A. Graham and Co.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Calcutta, 548 tons, Captain G. Phillips, arrived in harbour yesterday from Persian Gulf, via Kurrachee, with a general cargo and the following passengers:—Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins, Surg. Major Green, Lieut. A. W. Pryer, three officers, of H. M. S. Dryad, Mr. N. P. Setna, Mrs. Dam, Mr. B. Vandergon, Mr. Lindsley, Miss George, 9 rank and files and 39 deck.

ARRIVALS.

April	Vessels.	Commander.	From.
13	Beau Uamba	Read	Liverpool, Oct. 29.
13	North Durham (s).	Williams	Marseilles, March 18
14	Calcutta (s)	Phillips	Bussorah, March 30.

DEPARTURES.

April	Vessels.	Commander.	Destinations.
14	Coconada (s)	Mitchell	Kurrachee.
	Jolani (s)	Adair	Trieste, &c.
	B. Morris (s)	Moffet	Antwerp.
	Hallamshire(s)	Pearce	London.
	Rome (s)	ates	London, &c.
	Colaba(s)	Henderson	Rangoon.
	Sultan(s)	rost	Liverpool.

The ship Citadel, Magee, to Liverpool, obtained her port-clearance yesterday.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday:—
Steamer Naples, to Havre.
Steamer Principia, to Marseilles.
Steamer Calcutta, to Persian Gulf.
Steamer Zuzara, to Coast and Calcutta.
Steamer Mount Lebanon, to Marseilles.
Steamer Wilton, to Bordeaux.
Steamer Nymphoea, to Port Said.
Ship Brigewater, to Bremerhaven.
Barque Eastern Chief, to London.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

April
10 Commilla (s) ..... Stagg ..... Rangoon, March 31.
C. of Liverpool (s). Hamilton .. London, Jan. 5.
Africa (s) ..... Thomson .. Singapore, March 22.

DEPARTURE.

April 10.—Steamer Bancoora.

DAILY EXPORTS.—APRIL 14.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

County of Caithness—100 bales cotton, John Marshall.
Grampian—125 cwts balds and 2534 cwts myrabolams, Knutow Ludha; 1,042 cwts myrabolams, Ruttonsee Mooljee; 200 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 100 bales cotton, Juggunath Kernidon.
Couty of Dumfries—750 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.
Suitana (s)—600 bales cotton, John Marshall.
Armania (s)—300 cwts nux-nor dall, Geerdhur Nuthoo; 750 cwts linseed, Thos. H. Moore and Co; 500 bales cotton, Killick, Ixon and Co; 300 bales cotton, Peel Cassels and Co; 125 bales cotton, David Sassoon and Co.
Incerauna (s)—2,000 cwts wheat, Damodur Khimjee; 4,000 cwts linseed, Killick, Nixon and Co; 750 cwts linseed, Hameermul Cursondass; 402 cwts myrabolams, Jairam Dayall; 250 bales hemp, H. Moonjee; 51 bales twist waste, Khalfanbhoy Damany; 155 bales wool, Hurjewan Vussonjee; 63 bales wool, Goverdhundass Bhugwandass; 300 bales cotton, J. C. Bunnby and Co; 50 bales cotton, Lyon and Co; 200 bales cotton, Nanjee Bhanjee; 50 bales cotton, Mooljee Nursey; 69 bales cotton, Nopchand Narangria; 100 bales cotton, Chutoorbhoz Hurry; 200 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 135 bales cotton, Dewcuran Ramcuran; 332 cwts myrabolams, Thakersee Soondersdass 100 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.
Morton Hall (s)—348 cwts myrabolams, Poonja Jewraj; 400 cwts wheat and 4,200 cwts linseed, Wallace and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Wheatfield (s)—1401 cwts wild turmeric, Megjee Mooljee; 109 cwts horns, Jan Mahamed Peerbhoy; 148 cwts olibanum, A idin Sanjee and Co; 9 bales skins, Sulliaman Noor Mahamed; 8 bales hides, Natha Essa; 100 bales cotton, F. Sauquet and Co; 200 bales cotton, Peel Cassels and Co; 884 cwts ginger, Curramsey Kaetsey and Co.
Rome (s)—1,950 cwts myrabolams, the P. and O. Co; 1 bundle ivory, Goolam Hoosein Currimbhoy; 1 case shawls, Gocuidass Brajlali; 19 cases shawls, &c., Hajee Satoodeen Moh deen; 2 cases handkerchief, Tarachund Gnunshamdass; 1 case chadders, Frymjee Sands and Co; 2 cases shawls, A. Goolam Hoosein; 19 cases shawls, &c., David assoon and Co.

FOR NEW YORK.

Armania (s)—7 bales ropeends, Dossabhoy Merwanjee and Co.

FOR BREMERHAVEN.

Daylight—200 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.

FOR HAVRE.

Abyssinian—450 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.
Adelychaney (s)—105 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.
Naples (s)—19,203 cwts wheat, Volkart Brothers; 130 cwts horns, Volkart Brothers.

FOR HULL.

John P. Best (s)—2,000 cwts wheat and 501 cwts linseed, Lang Moir and Co.
Sunbeam (s)—24,000 cwts linseed, Killick, Nixon and Co.

FOR TRIESTE.

Thibet (s)—300 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 110 bales cotton, E. Spinner and Co; 100 bales cotton, Sigg-Sulzer and Co; 400 bales cotton, Lyon and Co; 10 bales cotton, F. Sanquet and Co; 100 bales cotton, L. Singer and Co.

FOR UNITED KINGDOM.

Hilda (s)—375 cwts linseed, Wallace and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Thibet (s)—300 bales cotton, Sigg-Sulzer and Co; 150 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 200 bales cotton, F. Sanquet and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Newnham (s)—1004 cwts groundnuts and 350 cwts gingelly-seed, L. Singer and Co.
Principia (s)—11,600 cwts wheat and 856 cwts groundnuts, Ralli Brothers.

FOR GENOA.

Newnham (s)—11 bales skins, Sullaman Noor Mahamed; 200 bales cotton, Glade and Co; 200 bales cotton, Peel Cassels and Co.

FOR ALEXANDRIA.

Thibet (s)—2,000 cwts wheat, Peel, Cassels and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Sumatra (s)—70 cwts rasin, Abdoola Moosa.

HIGH COURT.—APRIL 15.

(Before the Hon. Sir CHARLES SARGENT.)
Suit for hearing and final disposal.
Long Cause.

57-81—Tobin and R.—The Land Mortgage Bank vs Ahmedhoy Hubibbhoy and another—Jefferson, B. and D.—Part heard.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice PINHEY.)
Suit for hearing and final disposal.
Long Cause.

563-80—Smith and F—L. A. Wallace and another v. Ahmed bin Essa Khalifa—Macfarlane and E—Part heard.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE

ARRIVALS.—APRIL 12.

Haydon, Capt. R. E., on leave, from Broach.
Elton, Major, 16th Madras N. I., on leave, from Kamptee.

APRIL 14.

Green, Surg.-Major, on duty, from Calcutta.
Prior, Lieut., N. Stafford., on leave, from Kurrachee.
Little, Lieut., 9th Lancers, on leave, from Umballa.
Stocker, Major-Genl., R. A., on duty, from Mhow.
Greenwood, Lieut., 10th Hussars, on duty, from Lucknow.

DEPARTURES.—APRIL 14.

Stewart, Major-Genl., R. E., on leave, to England
Simonds, Col., Staff Corps, on leave, to England.
Etherson, Surg-Major, on leave, to England.
Foord, Major, 3rd Madras L. I., on leave, to England.
Franklin, Surg., on duty, to Kurrachee.
Hamilton, Lieut., R. E., on duty, to Madras.
Park, Lieut., Devonshire, on leave, to England.
Smith, Surg., on duty, to Madras.
Barras, Lieut. Col., 13th Bombay N. I., on leave, to England.
Roe, Surg.-Major, on leave to England.

ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Adjutant General's Office, Simla, April 4.

Major W. J. Boyes, half pay whose tour of service in the Adjt. Genl's. Dept. expires on the 10th April is directed to proceed to England.

Lieut. O. Mayne, 2nd Bn. Norfolk Regt.; is qualified for promotion to the rank of Capt.

The undermentioned officers are qualified for the rank of Lieut.:—Lieut. H. R. B. Donne, and H. J. W. Mackenzie Kennedy, 2nd Bn. Norfolk Regt.; Lieuts. F. W. G. Wadeson, and R. W. Johnston, 1st. Bn. King's Own Borderers.

The undermentioned officers are qualified for the rank of Lieut:—

Lieuts. C. R. Burn, 8th Hussars; R. A. Vowell, and W. Fenwick, 2nd Bn. Leicester. Regt.; S. C. Gough, 2nd Bn. Hampshire Regt.

Notification has been received from the Horse Guards, that the undermentioned officers have passed the required examination for the rank of Lieut:—

Lieut. [illegible] 2nd Bn. Rl. Scots Fusiliers—Lieut. K. E. [illegible] Lieut. J. M. R. Dalrymple-Hay, and Lieut. F. [illegible] Officer.

O'Brien, dated the 8th March granting six [illegible] having leave to England, to Surg.-Major E. R. With the [illegible] Dept. is hereby cancelled, that officer W. Bryan, [illegible] ed to return to England.

Regt., is appointed Government; Schoolmaster Schools, Bengal, [illegible] the 1st Bn. Manchester ing his duties, vice [illegible] Supdt. British Army ed to the Home establishment from the date of assum-

Intimation has been [illegible] Agent for Army Clothing [illegible] E. Shipman, removcipated in the Training [illegible] m the Supdt. and Commanding officers are [illegible] ncies are antidirect to Alipore, rolls of any [illegible] aster Tailors. recommended as qualified in accordance with the rules contained in Bengal Army Regulations [illegible] to forward para. 56. they can

It is hereby notified for general information [illegible] with the the undermentioned officers, non-commissioned officers and men have passed the qualifying examination on completion of a course of instruction at Army Signalling held at Roorkee, and have received certificates as Instrs. and Asst. Instrs respectively:—

Certificates as Instrs.—Lieuts. C. B. Harvey, 10th Hussars; T. A. H. Davies, and W. B. Lafone, 2nd Devonshire Regt.; J. Shakespear, 1st Leinster; F. Campbell, 1st South Lancashire Regt.; Surg. M. F. Macnamara, A. M. D.

Certificates as Asst. Instrs.—Corpl. A. Lauriston, and Corpl. H. Brookhouse, 9th Lancers. Sergeant W. Brown, and Lce. Sergt. W. W. Halls, 10th Hussars. Private M. Weldon, 2nd Norfolk Regt. Lce. Corpl. E. Carr, and Sergeant J. Fullalove, 2nd Devonshire Regt. Lce. Corpl. P. McEnerny, 1st Royal Irish. Lce. Sergt. E. Adams, and Corpl. J. Bentley, 1st East Lancashire Regt. Lce. Corpl. R. A. Kearney, and Private G. Benning, 1st West Riding. Lce. Corpl. W. Heesom, and Private E. Jones, 1st South Lancashire. Lce. Corpl. J. Crawford, and Private J. Kavanagh, 1st South Yorkshire. Corpl. J. Moore, and Private J. E. Smith, 2nd North Lancashire. Lce. Sergt. T. Thompson, and Lce. Corpl. A. Anderson, 1st Leinster Regt.

The following order is confirmed:—

Border Regt.—1st Bn. order, dated 24th Feb. appointing Lieut. A. H. N. U. Champion to be Asst. Instr. in Musketry to the Bn., with effect from the 9th Feb. vice Lieut. Morrice.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—

9th Lancers.—Capt. C. J. W. Trower, to port of embarkation, for thirty days from date of availing himself of it; and thence to England, for fifteen months, from date of embarkation, on private affairs.

R. A.—Major A. H. J DesBarres, (unposted,) to port of embarkation, forthirty days from date availing himself of it; and thence toEngland, for six months, on urgent private affairs.

(This cancels the leave granted to Major DesBarres, in G. O. C. C., dated 28th March.)

Capt. F. Burridge, (Adj. B. A., Poona Div.) to port of embarkation, for thirty days from date of availing himself of it; and thence to England, for nine months, on private affairs.

27th. N. I.—Lieut. A. E. P. Burn, (S. C.,) to Kashmir and hills north of Simla, from the 15th April to the 15th Oct. on private affairs.

Gegeral List, Infy.—Major A. Landon, to the 20th March to the 20th Sept., on private affairs.

(This cancels the leave granted to Major Landon in G. O. C. C., date 20th March).

On the recommendation of medical boards, the undermentioned officers are granted leave to the port of embarkation, for thirty days from date of availing themselves of it; and thence to England, from date of embarkation, for the periods specified.

1st Bn. York and Lancaster Regt.—Lieut. F. H. Fuller, 6 months.

A. M. D.—Surgn. R. Blood, 6 months.

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PHASES OF THE MOON.

New Moon ..... 18th .... 2h. 29·3m. a.m.
First Quarter ..... 25th .... 11h. 47·2m. a.m.

Days.	Festivals, &c.	Sun Rise.	Sun Sets.	High Water.	Low Water
Sat. 15	.....	5 43 6	16 9	H. M. 18m 2	H. M. 56m
			9	39	12 a
Sun. 16	Low Sunday.	5 41 6	16 10	9m 3	40m
			10	13 a	2 a
Mon 17	.....	5 43 6	16 10	56m 4	21m
			10	55 a	4 18 a
Tu. 18	English Mail expected	5 42 6	16 11	40m 5	2m
			11	37 a	5 32 a
Wed 19	.....	5 42 6	17 0	24 a	5 43m
					6 15 a
Thr. 20	.....	5 41 6	17 0	20m 6	24m
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Fri. 21	.....	5 40 6	17 1	2m 7	4m
			1	50 a	7 47 a
Sat. 22	.....	5 40 6	17 1	43m 7	45m
			2	35 a	8 39 a

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

[THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED.]

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MARRIAGE.

CUNINGHAM—PHAYRE—April 11, at Mhow by the Rev. M. Mills, Chaplain, Major C. A. Cuningham, Bo. S. C., A. A. G., Mhow Division, to Innes Bunbury, third daughter of Lieutenant General M. R. Phayre, K. C. B., Commander, Mhow Division,

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTH.

MAHARANI OF COOCH BEHAR—At Woodlands, Alipur, Her Highness the Maharani of Cooch Behar, of a son and heir to the State.

MARRIAGE.

FRAZER—WILSON—April 10, at Ootacamund, Robert N. Frazer, Madras Civil Service to Hannah, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Wilson, Vicar of Holy Trinity, Knightsbridge, London.

DEATH.

CARPENTER—April 5, at Calcutta, of spleen, Mabel Charlotte, the beloved daughter of Alfred William and Sarah Carpenter, aged 10 years, 2 months and 6 days.

All MONEY ORDERS, CHEQUES, and other Remittances sent to this office should be made payable to the Proprietor of the *Bombay Gazette*.

The Bombay Gazette

SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 1882.

FOR some time past the High Court has been very fully occupied by litigation in which a certain Mr. Heerjeebhoy Hormusjee Shroff has been either a plaintiff, a defendant, or a witness. In all these cases forgery has been the leading theme. It is a relief to find that at last somebody has been sent to jail for three years for forging a document, and the same with intent to deceive. True, the satisfaction one feels at this incident is qualified by feeling that, in comparison with one or a few others, the forger who is sent to prison is of far deeper than a villain, and that justice convicted has had more than an instalment upon whom is a man who has been tried and He is evidently it must be admitted, a man while at large to be wise to waste sympathy. more ambitious than professional forger, ready claims or repudiate just as less needy and fictitious documents prepared to enforce false But at least he has never, by means of attempted to turn his talents to the occasion. flesh and blood, and forge paper as appears, his brothers and sisters. He drew his own there; and we are by no means certain fraud same can be said of others whose names Nine in the case. Mr. Heerjeebhoy Hormus Shroff would have us believe, for instance, that his sister, Dossibai, has caused to be forged documents devised to defraud him of considerable sums of money. To be sure, he manifested a curious reluctance to swear that the fact was so, and that certain documents which purported to be written by himself and were alleged by him to be forgeries were not in his handwriting; but he sought to get the High Court and the Police Court and the public to believe it. We do not believe it, nobody believes it; but the objection to make oath in the case has saved the matter from being sifted by a prosecution for perjury. Yet the facts lie in a nutshell, and one might suppose Mr. Heerjeebhoy Hormusjee Shroff could not be in much doubt that forgery had been freely and systematically resorted to for purposes of fraud, or as to who was the party who employed the forger. In one case he had lent Rs. 10,000 out of a trust fund on mortgage to his brother-in-law, Dossibai's husband. The latter alleged that the money was repaid, and when a suit was filed in the High Court to enforce the mortgage, the defence was that the account-books produced by Heerjeebhoy were falsified. The case lasted nine days; but on the last day, instead of going into the witness-box to be cross-examined as to the genuineness of the entries, Heerjeebhoy generously agreed to a decree being given against him and to paying Rs. 10,000, the costs of the other side! In the next case he was not the plaintiff, but the defendant. His sister filed a suit against him for the recovery of Rs. 7,700, the value of certain pearls which had been entrusted to him for sale. How did he meet the case for the plaintiff? "I produced a document purporting to be in the handwriting of Dossibai, and endorsed by her son, showing that the pearls had been returned to her." These are his own words when cross-examined by Mr. Lang on the prosecution of a wretched fellow named Bapoojee for forging documents at the instance of Heerjeebhoy and his scamp of a brother, himself a convicted forger, with the deliberate object of trying to fix the imputation of forgery upon Dossibai. In the pearl case not only was this receipt for the pearls denounced as a forgery, but certain letters purporting to be in his handwriting, and, if genuine, establishing beyond doubt the fraudulent nature of the defence, were put in. Did he get into the witness-box and swear that the receipt was genuine, and that the letters were forgeries? He did not. "When the case for the defence came to be opened, my counsel consented to a decree being passed against me, with costs. Dossibai applied for leave to prosecute me for perjury, but Mr. Justice West declined to grant permission, on the ground, I believe, that my affidavit was not duly sworn!"

What construction can be put upon all this? There is only one—that Heerjeebhoy Hormusjee Shroff, sooner than take the trouble to get into the witness-box to prove his case, resigned himself to a heavy pecuniary mulct: which is strange enough, but stranger still, he was so careless of his reputation that he would not trouble himself to swear that he was not a forger and a villain, and that he had not attempted to use the High Court to defraud his brother-in-law of Rs. 10,000 which had been already paid, and to cheat his sister out of the value of Rs. 7,700 worth of pearls, by means of impudent forgeries, representing that the former sum was and that the latter was not due. The attempt in each case failed, if it was made; it would be scarcely to the credit of the administration of justice in the High Court that it only failed; but the extraordinary thing is that Mr. Heerjeebhoy Hormusjee Shroff never opened his mouth in court to say that it was not made.

But see how marvellous are the ways of the just! Mr. Heerjeebhoy Hormusjee Shroff, while indulging in the luxury of litigation with his sister, was carrying on a law-suit also with his brother Dorabjee, who, it is to be hoped, will not feel offended if we repeat, is a scamp and a convicted forger. As such he was naturally sensitive about his reputation, and when he heard that his sister Dossibai—who is to be commiserated for having such a brother, but then nobody thinks the less of Abel because he had Cain for a brother—when, we say, Dorabjee heard that he was suspected of having had a hand in forging the documents produced in the High Court, he felt much aggrieved. And to clear his character he got into communication with one Bapoojee, a professional forger, and paid him fifty rupees for a forged document "which he did not require, as he wanted to clear his character by showing who the real man was." His next step was to go to his brother, who was bringing two suits against him, and inform him that the professional forger, Bapoojee by name, had come to him and offered to forge documents to defeat Heerjeebhoy's case. The virtuous Dorabjee was unwilling to avail himself of the proferred aid, but as Bapoojee had mentioned that he had prepared the forgeries which Dossibai had won her case by, he thought it only kind to inform his brother of the circumstance. Thereupon the precious pair agreed to employ Bapoojee to forge a document purporting to be hurtful to Heerjeebhoy's case against Dorabjee. The forgery was effected in Dorabjee's house, two police officers being concealed in closets close at hand. When the document was completed, the officers seized it, and the dupe who forged it. Heerjeebhoy went off and applied to the magistrate to issue warrants to arrest his sister Dossibai and all her family on the charge of being concerned with Bapoojee in forging documents. The magistrate refused to do anything of the kind. Bapoojee appears to have been pressed to turn "Queen's evidence" against Dossibai, but he did not see his way to it. He has been convicted of forgery, and has been sentenced to three years' rigorous imprisonment—the jury strangely recommending him to mercy, doubtless because he was only a professional forger, and bigger villains than he were not in the dock by his side. He is disposed of. But what is to be done with Mr. Heerjeebhoy Hormusjee Shroff, Justice of the Peace, merchant, and man of means? Is he a fit person to be retained on the list of Justices? Is he a fit person to remain connected with respectable European firms, and a proper associate for men of business in Bombay?

We publish on another page an important correspondence between the Chamber of Commerce and the Bombay Government on the subject of the late enhancement of the rates on grain from the North-West. This correspondence began in November last, and we regret that the first letter of the Chamber was not made public earlier, as we think the support of public opinion might have been of some use to the Chamber. As it is, a correspondence which began by a forcible appeal of the Chamber in November has in five months resulted in nothing but a weak and apologetic letter from the Bombay Government. No explanation nor answer of any kind has been vouchsafed by the Indian Government, in whose hands the remedy lies for the action which has suddenly strangled a rapidly growing trade and prevented the grain-producers of the northern part of India from availing themselves of the most direct and most expeditious route to the markets of Europe. The same petty jealous fear that Bombay might get a portion of the trade Calcutta has enjoyed, which compelled the Bombay Chamber of Commerce to agitate for fourteen years before they succeeded in getting the Rajputana Railway, is now working to prevent that railway being of any use to Bombay. There is no large grasp of the whole subject as a national question, irrespective of provincial prejudices; but with a railway official of com

TELEGRAMS.

MAJOR BARING'S ILLNESS

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, APRIL 14.

The *Englishman's* Simla correspondent telegraphs that probably an officiating Finance Minister will be appointed during Major Baring's illness

THE RANGOON RAILWAYS.

A rumour has reached Rangoon that Messrs. Baring Bros. and Company have overbidden the syndicate which previously offered to purchase the British Burmah railways.

CHOLERA IN BURMAH.

Last week 115 deaths from cholera occurred at Prome.

EARTHQUAKE AT BANGALORE.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

BANGALORE, APRIL 14.

A severe shock of earthquake was felt at this station last night at half-past nine. The shock, which lasted for about twenty seconds, came on with a deep rumbling noise, like that of a heavy carriage rolling over a rough pavement. The direction of the wave appeared to be from north to south. It was cloudy and very sultry during the day, and a shower of rain fell at three in the evening. Heavy showers fell shortly after the earthquake.

OFFICIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, APRIL 14.

Consequent on the appointment of Sir C. Aitchison as Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab, Mr. Bernard, C.S., Secretary to the Government, in the Revenue and Agricultural Department, and officiating Chief Commissioner of British Burmah, has been confirmed in the latter appointment.

Consequent on the retirement of Mr. Brandreth, Judge of the Chief Court of the Punjab, the Governor-General-in-Co[illegible] has confirmed Mr. R[illegible]nie as a Judge [illegible]ourt.

[illegible]W. P. Ken[illegible] Staff Corps, [illegible]ical Agent, Kashi[illegible] has been appointed [illegible]agent.

[illegible] appears the Yenoung Mentha of Mandalay [illegible]followed the example of a late Sultan of Turkey, [illegible]and died himself to death by opening veins in his [illegible] pair of scissors. He incurred the [illegible]f King Theebaw by aspiring to the [illegible]f His Majesty's sisters. Hearing that [illegible]been making overtures to the [illegible]o matrimony, the King [illegible]probably also a little [illegible] Princess, accord[illegible]uld have made [illegible] throne of Ava, [illegible]aspired to that [illegible]ndered him to [illegible] him to a [illegible] out of [illegible] in

[illegible] Whistler, of the [illegible]ngent, an old shi[illegible]dled by a tiger in the [illegible]day that he died on Sun[illegible]

SIR WILLIAM NATHAN [illegible] K. C. B., V. C., the successor [illegible] Jones in command of the East [illegible] born in 1834. He is the son of [illegible] William Wrighte Hewett, and a [illegible] believe, of Major-General Hewett, She[illegible] Bombay, and Commandant of the Bombay V[illegible]nteer Rifle Corps. Admiral Hewett has seen co[illegible]derable active service, having served in China, at Sebastopol and Inkermann in the Crimea, and as Senior Officer on the West Coast of Africa during the Gold Coast expedition of 1873-74. He is expected at Trincomalee before the end of the month, where Admiral Gore Jones is waiting to hand over command. The new Admiral comes out in the Euryalus which has been overhauled and undergone extensive repairs at Malta. Admiral Gore Jones's flag is still on the Ruby.

SIR M. R. WESTROPP, Chief Justice, has intimated to the pleaders of the High Court that his Lordship would receive their address at 3 o'clock on Monday next, at the High Court. It is arranged that the addresses from the Bar and solicitors should be presented to his Lordship the same afternoon. The address voted to his Lordship at a meeting of European and native citizens held the other day at "Mazagon Castle," which was formally adopted at a meeting held on Thursday afternoon, will be presented at his Lordship's bungalow, Malabar Hill, at 4 o'clock on Tuesday next.

THE Chief Justice presided on the Appellate Side of the High Court yesterday for a portion of the day with Mr. Justice Kemball, for another portion with Mr. Justice Melvill, and for some time with Mr. Justice Pinhey, to dispose of petitions for review of judgment in cases which had been heard before their Lordships respectively on different dates.

A CALCUTTA paper hears that it is intended to establish a branch of the Society of Science, Letters, and Arts in India. With this view, the parent Society in London has appointed Dr. E. W. Chambers as their Honorary Secretary and representative in Calcutta. Dr. Chambers has been a Fellow of the London Society since its establishment, and is also a member of the Committee.

COLONEL SANFORD has arrived at Simla on return from his visit to Egypt, and taken over charge of the Quartermaster-General's Office.

A CORRESPONDENT writes from Jubbulpore, April 12 :—"A heavy storm passed over this station to-day, accompanied by violent peals of thunder and vivid lightning,—greatly reducing the temperature. It is, however, rather inopportune, as a large quantity of our best wheat for Bombay export is lying [illegible] floors out in the districts. The [illegible]nday, when all [illegible] effectually upon the other side as the President of the Commission. Being above all things a master of facts, the new councillor will be able to bring to bear upon him a style of argument with which possibly he has not been overburdened by the advisers of the opposition. Another matter likely to have a similar result is the promised publiction, as announced by Reuter the other day, of the report of the Commission. Although the main features of the report have already become known in one way and another, still the publication of the compilation in full cannot fail to lead to an animated controversy on the whole question of Indian army reform, and the thorough threshing out of every point of debate. This revival of interest in Indian army matters, coinciding with Sir Ashley Eden's appointment, will present the reformers an opportunity, such as is not likely to recur for many a day, of pressing their case to a decided issue.

THE Madras authorities have been occupying themselves with the subject of the destruction of wild animals. The Board of Revenue believe that the most effective way of inducing men of the shikari class to devote themselves to the keeping down of beasts of prey is to fix an undeviating reward for the destruction of each class of beast, to be paid promptly anywhere on the production of the skin. When the reward is at the discretion of the Collector, the shikaris are apt to be discouraged by the element of uncertainty. The Board would take no account of the circumstances of the kill, and would pay just the same, whether the beast be large or small, male or female, half grown or mere cub, remarking that the State is concerned only with compassing the extermination of beasts of prey, not with the risks run by the hunter. They proposed to double the rewards, paying Rs. 100 for a tiger instead of Rs. 50, and so on for panthers, bears, and wolves. To this, however, the Madras Government have objected ; and all the practical outcome of the interesting discussion apparently is that taluk officers will be reminded of the importance of promptitude in disbursing rewards, and that the skins brought in will be marked with two blowsof a one-inch chisel just at the root of the tail.

THE *Asian* :—There is likely to be a new and important addition to the turf in Southern India. The Maharajah of Mysore is said to have purchased some first-class horses with the intention of running them at the Bangalore meeting ; but we do not see His Highness's name in the published list of entries, nor have we heard who is to be his trainer. Does the Maharajah of Jodhpur intend to come on the Turf again, and to revive the glories of the white and red cap, as shown by Crown Prince at the Delhi Assemblage meeting ? He has, we are informed, purchased Camballo, Western Princess, Kate Coventry, and Fleur de Lys from Lord William Beresford for a large sum, whilst Jack Tar, Cock of the Walk, and several others have been sent up to Jodhpur from Calcutta. Elliott, than whom there is no finer rider in India, has been engaged as jockey, but we suppose that Wheal, who has been the Maharajah's master of the horse for many years, will be in chief charge of them.

THE Rev. F. W. Davis, in sending the following letter to Mr. Bradlaugh, is evidently, *Truth* thinks, of the opinion of St. Augustine in regard to the Prince of Darkness :—

DEAR SIR,—They say that even the Devil is not so black as he is painted, and, perhaps, you are not either. If you don't believe in God, yet perchance you may admit that in church the clergy try to improve the morals of the people, and that, therefore, both churches and clergy are worthy of support. If so, may I hope for a subscription from you in support of my church, or for the poor in it ?—I am, dear sir, yours faithfully,

F. W. DAVIS.

The Parsonage, Blairgowrie, Perthshire, N.B.
March 6, 1882.

THE steamer Satara, which arrived at Rangoon [illegible] had on board [illegible] State Rail[illegible]

tenant-Governor's speech in reply was heartily applauded. Mr. Justice Straight proposed the Chairman's health, and the formal business of the evening then ended.

THE Sub-Committee appointed to take evidence upon the Railway Police organisation have completed their tour, and have gained much valuable information on their travels. Every railway, from the Punjab Northern to the Southern Indian, has been visited, and, as was to be expected, the necessity of some wide reforms has been established.

AMONG the passengers by the P. and O. Company's steamer Australia, which left Calcutta on Monday last, was the Hon'ble Mr. Inglis, of the firm of Messrs. Begg, Dunlop & Co., of that city, who, as a member and as President of the Chamber of Commerce, and as a member of the Legislative Councils of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal and of the Viceroy, has rendered conspicuous service to the mercantile and general community. Mr. Inglis is not expected to return to India.

IT seems that Madras stops the way in the matter of the declaration of the regiments that are to be disbanded in the three Presidencies. An up-country contemporary states that the doomed regiments in Bengal would have known their fate even now, but that the Government wishes to make one announcement that will cover the reductions in all three Presidencies ; and Madras, as usual, blocks the way by delaying the selection of its own victims. Now, however, the final announcement may be very shortly expected.

REGARDING the visit of the Burmese Embassy now on the way to India, the Allahabad paper says:—"It arose out of certain conversations which took place when the Burmah Government sent an emissary to congratulate the Viceroy on his visit to Rangoon. He arrived too late, after the Viceroy had gone ; but he saw the Chief Commissioner, and learned from him on inquiry that if the Burmah Government now liked to send a mission, it would not be denied access to the Government of India. Hence the present embassy."

MR. R. HOPE PILCHER, Deputy Commissioner of Thayetmyo, who accompanies the Burmese embassy to India, was for a long time in Mandalay, the *Englishman* says, and is a first-rate Burmese scholar, and is well acquainted with all, or nearly all, the leading members of the Embassy.

RATES ON THE RAJPUTANA RAILWAY.

THE following correspondence has passed between the Chamber of Commerce and the Government on this subject :—

No. 260 of 1881.

Bombay Chamber of Commerce, 19th Nov., 1881.

To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department (Railways), Bombay.

Sir,—I am desired by the Committee of the Chamber of Commerce respectfully to bring to the notice of his Excellency the Governor that great and many complaints have for some time past reached them of the inconvenience and heavy loss to the trade of Bombay from the sudden and great increase in the rates of freight from Agra and Delhi to this port per the B. B. and C. I. and the Rajputana State Railways. The consequence has been that a trade which had begun to assume important proportions, and which might have been expected to go on increasing from month to month, has, since the rates were raised on the 1st November, dwindled down into a mere fraction of its former volume, and will probably very shortly disappear altogether. The Chamber have not previously moved in the matter : first, because they have held the belief (apparently, however, a mistaken one) that the self-interest of the two railways would be sufficiently evident to prevent them raising their rates so much above the E. I. line as to kill off the traffic from which they both benefited, and on which one of them at least mainly depended for any chance of ever giving a fair return upon its capital ; and secondly, because they had confidence that the published Resolutions of the Government of India would be carried into practical effect, and that they need not remind his Excellency of what these Resolutions were. They were regarded with satisfaction by the whole mercantile community of Bombay as giving, if not all that they had expected, at least that was requisite to enable develope a new and important trade not only to the benefit of this port, but to that of the rich and important grain-growing districts of North-Western India, for which this port is the natural and cheapest outlet. The gist of these Resolutions was summed up as follows :—"In order that there will be no doubt on the subject, His Excellency the Governor-in-Council is pleased to rule that in regard to the "principle of equalisation of rates from Delhi and Agra to the ports of Calcutta and Bombay" must form the basis of consideration of all changes in the through rates of all traffic between these several places." Thus they had every reason to believe was a matured and carefully considered judgment on the part of the Indian Government, as the facts and arguments of the case had all been before them for many months, if not for years. It was therefore with no small disappointment, to use no stronger term, that they learnt from the columns of one of the local newspapers that the Indian Government had apparently, within a few weeks, very considerably modified their former judgment. The Indian Government have not taken the public into their confidence by publishing this Resolution, and the Chamber therefore can offer no remarks on it, except to say that if the very meagre outlines of it which have seen the light be correct, it apparently very considerably alters the former plan and unmistakable settlement of the question, and leaves everything again in doubt and uncertainty. That H. E. the Governor may see the unsatisfactory and unfair position which Bombay at present occupies with regard to the important through trade from Agra and Delhi, to the Chamber beg to put before him the following facts :—The present rates on the carriage of grain from Agra and Delhi to Bombay are as nearly as possible 25 per cent. higher than the rates from the same place to the port of Calcutta, and with such a bulky article as wheat (and it is to the wheat trade with these places that is the important one) this 25 per cent. in freight represents about 5 per cent. on its whole prime cost at the district of growth. Weighted with this heavy impost, it must be plain that the wheats of Northern India can never in quantity find their outlet to the markets of Europe through the otherwise cheaper and more direct route of Bombay. The Chamber for in and denied them. They were into discussion as to cost of haulage as against length of route and original cost of lines. They believe that the matter was fairly settled by the Indian Government Resolution of 26th September last, and that any departure from it is a misfortune to the country and an injustice to Bombay. In these views they trust they may have the sympathy and support of His Excellency the Governor, and trust his influence will be used to bring about a new settlement that will put matters on a fairer footing both to the port of Bombay and to the grain-growing districts in the North-West.—I have, &c.,

D. WATSON, Secretary.

[illegible] Government, Railways, [illegible] 1881.

To the Secretary. to the Chamber of Commerce, Bombay.

Sir,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 19th November, complaining of the inconvenience and loss to the trade of Bombay from the recent sudden and great increase in the rates of freight from Agra and Delhi to Bombay over the Rajputana and B. B. & C. I. Railways, and to state, for the information of the Chamber, that the Government of India have taken the question of the through rates on the Rajputana and East Indian Railways into their own hands, your letter has been referred to the Government of India for consideration.—I have, &c.

H. F. HANCOCK, Colonel, R. E.,
Joint-Secretary to Government.

No. 40 of 1882.

Bombay, 4th February, 1882.

To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department (Railways), Bombay.

Sir,—I had the honour to receive your letter No. 3014, dated 3rd December last, in reply to my letter No. 260 of the 9th November, and in continuation of the same, I beg now to send, for the information of His Excellency the Governor-in-Council, a statement of the quantities of wheat forwarded to Bombay *vid* the Rajputana State Railway during the year 1881. From this it will be seen that for the eight months ending August last the average receipts were under 20,000 cwt. or 1,000 tons per month, and that the highest of any one month was May with 34,000 cwt. or 2,700 tons. Under the influence of the cheaper carrying rates (brought into force in September), however, the receipts at once rose from 8,000 in August to 151,891 in September and to 250,424 in October, being latterly at the rate of 400 to 500 tons per day. In November, however, with the advanced charges they again fell to 122,961 cwt., and in December to 47,051. The returns for January are not yet complete but they are about the same as for December. That this great falling-off to Bombay is entirely due to the high rates of carriage driving the trade to Calcutta cannot be doubted. There is plenty of wheat in the North-West, the prices are as good as there, and the amount sent to Calcutta during November and December has continued on a very large scale, while our own supplies from Central India have not fallen off at all, but continue to come in every month in increased quantities. We call the attention of His Excellency now to these facts, because when the Committee last wrote it was too soon for statistics to show the unfortunate influence of the advanced rate, and they had to confine themselves to a mere general statement, unconfirmed by by figures.

There is another point to which, at the request of the Committee, I beg to call His Excellency's attention. In his recent speech in Manchester the Secretary of State for India was questioned on the subject of these Rajputana State Railway rates, and his reply is reported as follows :—"As to the alleged increased rates, that I am informed is not in the least intended for checking the traffic upon the line, but merely for the purpose of placing the competing traffic between Delhi and Calcutta and Delhi and Bombay on a fair and equal footing." This information was no doubt supplied by the Viceroy-in-Council, and the Chamber confess to being very anxious to know what is meant in practice by "a fair and equal footing." The practical effect of the present tariff is undoubtedly almost entirely to cut Bombay off from any share of the grain trade of North-West India.

The present rate for grain from Delhi and Bombay is Rs. 13-5 per maund against Rs. 12-6 to Calcutta ; and not content with this, the Chamber understands that it is the intention of the Rajputana State Railway officials to still further raise the rates in March to 17 annas, which will then make the freight to Bombay 35 per cent. (about) higher than it is to Calcutta. The Chamber cannot believe, therefore, that these competing rates have been fixed with the knowledge and approval of the Viceroy-in-Council, as they seem utterly inconsistent with the declaration of the Secretary of State only made a few weeks ago. The great importance of this question to the general prosperity of Bombay must be the excuse for pressing this matter so strongly on the attention of His Excellency, and I can only conclude with the hope that he will take the same view as the Chamber, and use all his influence to have the subject brought before the Viceroy-in-Council, and settled on a more satisfactory basis than it stands at present.—I have, &c.,

D. WATSON, Acting Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the quantities of wheat forwarded to Bombay *vid* the Rajputana State Railway during the year 1881 :—

1881.	Cwt.
January	1,657
February	1,840
March	5,252
April	27,151
May	54,762
June	33,265
July	9,606
August	8,033
September	151,891
October	250,424
November	122,961
December	47,051
	713,893
1882.	
January	[illegible]
February	[illegible]
March	[illegible]

maund, which was in force up to November last, was a special rate advertised as in force up to the 31st October only ; and that the existing through rate for this staple, viz., 15 annas 5 pies a maund, compares favourably with the rates on the G. I. P. Railway. The same may be said of the rates levied on the Rajputana Railway for cotton piece-goods, sugar, and other large staples.

4. The Governor-in-Council has no information at present as to any further increase in the through rate for grain and seeds being proposed to come into force from March next ; and understands that the rate may not improbably be reduced again during next monsoon, when a larger amount of rolling-stock will be available on the Rajputana Railway for this particular traffic.

5. With reference to the figures given in your letter and the statement that the traffic in grain and seeds has been driven to Calcutta, I am to ask for further statistics showing the quantities of grain sent from Delhi to Calcutta in corresponding months of 1881, and to inquire how the case stands at present in respect to imports to Bombay and Calcutta respectively.

6. The Governor-in-Council understands that notwithstanding that the through rates from Delhi to Howrah are less than from Delhi to Bombay, the bulk of the grain traffic is now finding its way to Bombay ; and that on their part the Calcutta merchants are complaining of the injurious effects on their trade of the competition of the Rajputana Railway.—I have, &c.,

H. F. HANCOCK, Colonel, R. E.,
Joint Secretary to Government.

The Chamber of Commerce, Bombay, 12th April, 1882.

To Colonel H. F. Hancock, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department (Railways), Bombay.

Sir,—I have to thank you for your letter No. 373, dated 24th February, 1882, and in reply I am instructed to say that the Committee note that the present rates by the Rajputana Railway, in the belief of the Governor-in-Council, have been fixed with the full knowledge and approval of the Government of India. This they hear with regret, and they think that they have some reason to complain that no explanation has as yet been received from the Government of India on the subject of these competing rates between the North-West and Calcutta and Bombay. It is now more than four months since the Chamber's representations on this subject were forwarded to the Government of India, and it would certainly be satisfactory to have a definite statement from them that they consider the rate to Bombay ought to be 25 per cent. higher than it is to Calcutta, and that this is putting the two ports on a "fair and equal footing." The Chamber think it is much to be regretted that such statements as those of Lord Hartington which they quoted in their letter of 4th February, are authoritatively made to the public interested in the question in England, as they are statements which must completely mislead as to the real facts of the case. On the 3rd paragraph in your letter, which makes a comparison between the rates of the G. I. P. and of the Rajputana Railway, the Committee would merely remark that it does not seem to them at all to affect the subject under discussion, which is solely as to what ought to be the fair competing rates fixed by the Government of India between the East Indian and the Rajputana Railways, which are both the property of the Government. The G. I. P. Railway rates are not competing rates, but monopoly rates, and as such they have little bearing on the question at issue.

The Committee also instruct me to say with reference to para. 4th in your letter that they learn with satisfaction that it is not the intention of the Rajputana Railway to increase the rates before the monsoon, and that in the monsoon they may possibly again be reduced. However, they would remark that frequent changes of rates are not satisfactory, and do not tend to foster a trade. When rates were reduced by the Rajputana Railway in the autumn of last year, several native firms from Delhi opened agencies in Bombay with the view of prosecuting the new trade ; but when the rates were again raised, finding they could do no business, they all shut up their agencies, which they had opened at considerable expense, and went home again. Much of the Indian export produce is now sold at home and contracted for out here months in advance of its receipt, and there can be no doubt but thus early in the farmer the guarantee of a fair price almost before the crop is sown tends very much to stimulate the cultivation. But railway rates which jump up and down fitfully tend to restrict, if they do not completely put a stop to, such operations. Large orders for the new wheat crop were held in Bombay some time ago, but agents in the North-West could not undertake the delivery, because they could have no confidence in calculating the rate of railway carriage when the wheat came to be forwarded.

With reference to para. 5 of your letter, I now append a statement of the wheat received in Calcutta by the East Indian Line from Cawnpore and stations north of it during the whole year of 1881 ; also a statement of the wheat received in Bombay by the Rajputana line, and another showing receipts by the G. I. P. Railway from 1st January 1881, to 25th February, 1882. This last will show you that the trade continued by this latter route in good quantities up to date, while the amount received by the Rajputana line in January last was only 5,185 cwt., in February 30,206 cwt., and in March only 12,388 cwt. If, therefore, the bulk of the trade in wheat from the North-West is now coming this way, its total must be very small indeed.

In para. 6th you say the Governor-in-Council understands that notwithstanding the through rates from Delhi to Howrah, are lower than from Delhi to Bombay, the bulk of the grain traffic is now finding its way to Bombay and the Calcutta merchants are complaining, &c. In reply to this the Committee instruct me to say that no doubt an impression of this kind is floating about, and finds belief apparently in quarters that might be expected to be better informed ; but it is utterly opposed to fact. No doubt the late increase in the wheat trade of Bombay during the past year has been great and startling. If we take the [illegible] January, 1882, and the Crawford Markets yesterday. The High Court and the Crawford Markets are the only places the Rao has yet visited in Bombay ; and a local contemporary has been merely "drawing upon his imagination" in reporting that His Highness has visited a number of other places in the city. On Tuesday next the leading citizens, European and native, are invited to an evening party at the "Durria Mehel," where an address will be presented to His Highness, and the proceedings will terminate with a brilliant display of fire-works.

THE Tram Cars.—The perverse stupidity of the old buggywallas is one of the causes of the Tram Company's success in Bombay. Bad horses, bad manners, and indifference for the passengers' safety, when added to drunkenness amongst the drivers, were too much to be patiently borne long. The public of Bombay were reluctant to give too many privileges to a foreign company, but the detestable buggywallah forced us to accept the lesser evil. With these few preliminary remarks, we must draw the attention of those whom it may concern to the several serious inconveniences at present a passenger has to put up with in a tram car. In the hot weather to compel five passengers to sit on one narrow bench is downright cruelty. During the monsoon most of the cars are ineffectually protected by canvas screens. Another very serious nuisance is the system of transfering a passenger from one car to another. In such cases a passenger so transferred has to stand in the sun or rain till another car arrives, and oftentimes this second car happens to be full. For purposes of emergent work tram cars are simply useless. In the mornings and afternoons there is a regular scramble for seats. The difficulty of the situation is increased by the reduction in the number of other conveyances. We suggest that the Municipality or the police authorities should take the matter in hand.—*Jam-i-Jamshed.*

DEATH OF A BOMBAY POLICE CONSTABLE.—We regret to announce the death yesterday (Thursday) morning from dysentery of Mr. Golden, a member of the Bombay Police Force. The deceased gentleman had been suffering for a long time, and came up to Poona for a change, but notwithstanding all medical skill, he sank gradually till death put an end to his suffering.—*Deccan Herald.*

VOLUNTEER RIFLE SHOOTING.—A correspondent of the Kurrachee *Civil and Military Gazette* writes :—The Viceroy's medal for the best shot among the Volunteers in India (in the Bengal Presidency) in 1881-82 will most probably go to Sergt Johnson of I Company 3rd Punjab V. R. Corps, as in his annual class-firing he has put on the magnificent score of 215 out of a possible 240, say 3·6 per shot. This scoring, I believe, is the highest on record out here, and is one of which a man might well be proud. It may be remembered that in his first forty rounds this Volunteer scored 147 out of 160, as published in your issue of 14th February, so that at the 700 and 800 yards ranges he has made 60.

POONA DETACHMENT B. V. R.—The Poona Detachment (G. and H. Companies) of the Bombay Volunteer Rifle Corps are to undergo their annual inspection this evening. A rehearsal parade was held on Wednesday, when, a Poona paper says, "the attendance was not so good as it should have been, about sixty-five members, including non-commissioned officers, being present. Amongst the officers were Captain Proudfoot, the Adjutant, Captain Phillips, a Lieutenant Peaker. The men were proved sized by Captain Phillips : after which they marched, headed by the band of H. M.'s 16th ment N. I., to the general parade-ground Proudfoot, the Adjutant, having assume of the Detachment. The Volunteers said, acquitted themselves very credi dismissing them Captain Proudf men for turning out, and asked t on Saturday in stronger numbe inspection may prove better Captain Proudfoot had als members on the subject the name of the Co such childishness public road, or sh then ordered to There was a l ground.

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THE ANJUMAN-I-ISLAM.

A MEETING of the Anjuman-i-Islam of Bombay was held on the 13th instant, when a vote was passed expressive of the great satisfaction of the members of the Anjuman at the providential escape of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress from the recent cowardly attempt upon her life. The proposer, Mr. C. Tyabjee, and the seconder, Mr. B. Tyabjee, dwelt at length upon the blessings of internal peace and security which the natives of India, in common with Her Majesty's other subjects, have enjoyed during Her Majesty's reign, and called upon all the members of the Anjuman to join them in a fervent prayer that Her Majesty's life may long be spared to spread peace, happiness, and prosperity throughout her extensive Empire.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Entertainment to the Rao of Kutch, Malabar Hill, 8 p. m.
Lecture, Sassoon Mechanics' Institute, 8 p. m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived on the 13th :—Beann Uamba, from Liverpool ; North Durham (s), Marseilles. Yesterday :—Calcutta (s), Bussorah.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed yesterday :—Coconada (s), for Kurrachee ; Jolani (s), Trieste, &c. ; B. Morris (s), Antwerp ; Hallamshire (s), London ; Rome (s), London, &c. ; Colaba (s), Rangoon ; Sultan (s) Liverpool.

THE HOMEWARD MAIL.—Mrs. Fagan and child were additional passengers for London by the Rome, which sailed yesterday.

A FAIR.—The annual fair at Wagashwaree's Tempie, Parell, will be held on Monday, the 17th instant, and will continue for four successive days.

A VAGRANT.—Dennis Donegan, a European, was yesterday declared a vagrant by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee, and was ordered to be sent to the Government workhouse.

A BREACH OF THE PORT TRUST ACT.—Pandoo Narroo, tindal of a native craft, was yesterday convicted by Mr. P. Ryan of sailing his vessel in the fairway without exhibiting a light. He was fined Rs. 7.

THEFT.—Mr. James Moore, residing in a tent at the Apollo-bunder, reported to the police on Thursday last the theft of a white shirt, with gold studs and sleeve-links attached, and also a flannel undershirt, of the value of Rs. 75.

MILL ACCIDENT.—Crisna Ragoonath, a labourer employed at the Nicol Mill, Kolaba, while cleaning the machinery, yesterday had his left hand caught, and sustained injuries necessitating amputation of the hand. He is under treatment at the G. T. Hospital.

A SUSPICIOUS CHARACTER.—Russool Rahim was yesterday convicted by Mr. P. Ryan of being found loitering by night at Chinch-bunder, and failing to render a satisfactory account of himself, he being a reputed thief. He was sentenced to three months' rigorous imprisonment.

REFRACTORY SEAMEN.—James Richardson and seven other European members of the steamship Chiltern, were yesterday convicted by Mr. P. Ryan of wilful disobedience in refusing to do duty on board their vessel. They were each sentenced to two weeks' rigorous imprisonment.

MOVEMENT OF TROOPS.—The I. G. steamer Tenasserim, 1,760 tons, Captain B. P. Creagh, will sail on Monday, the 17th instant, for Kurrachee, with Lieut. K. C. O. Stuart, 3 men, 2 women, and 2 followers of E.-2 R. A., 36 men (European) of 15-9th R. A., 17 men (European) N-1 R. A., 1 man, Gloucestershire, and 1 warrant officer and 1 follower of the Med. Dept.

THE HINDOO CRICKET CLUB.—The annual prize distribution ceremony, and the tent inauguration, ceremony of the Hindu Cricket Club will take place to-morrow at 6-30 p.m. (local time) in the tent of the Club, close to the Gaiety Theatre. Mr. K. T. Telang, M. A., LL. B., has kindly consented to preside. The programme for the occasion will be a cricket match from 10 a.m. to sunset between the eleven of the Club and an eleven of the King's Own Lancashire Regiment, a dramatic and musical entertainment, to be followed by the distribution of prizes, &c., &c.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—Gungaram Kessoo, aged fifty years, and his wife, Ganga, aged forty-five years were at work in a quarry excavation on Thursday evening last at Parel Tank-road, when a quantity of earth and stone on one side of the excavation suddenly fell on them. They were both extricated alive, but seriously injured, and were at once removed to the J. J. Hospital for treatment. The woman Ganga died shortly after admission, and the right leg of the injured man was amputated. He is now in the hospital in a precarious state. An inquest was held by the coroner yesterday at the J. J. Hospital, on the body of Gunga, when a verdict of accidental death was found.

THE RAO OF KUTCH.—The reception committee have issued invitations to the principal members of the native community to meet His Highness the Rao of Kutch at an evening entertainment to be given to-day at the "Durria Mehel," Malabar Hill. His Highness, accompanied by his younger [illegible] and Mr. Manockjee, visited the Arthur

BOMBAY TOWN COUNCIL.

AT the meeting of the Town Council yesterday, there were present—Dr. Cook, Chairman, Sir Frank Souter, Colonel Hancock, Captain Morland, Messrs. N. Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, R. M. Sayani, M. N. Banajee, R. N. Khote, and Dosabhoy Framjee.

The Council recommended to the Corporation the writing off, as loss, of Rs. 33,020-3-6, being the difference between the book value and sale proceeds of unserviceable perishable dead and live stock of the different departments of the Municipality in 1881.

A letter from the Commissioner was submitted, asking the Town Council to sanction the acceptance of Messrs. Cowasjee Sorabjee Bhedwar and Co.'s tender, amounting to Rs. 65,067-2-8, for raising roads and compounds in Khetwady in connection with the surface drainage scheme. The Commissioner stated that as the tender was the lowest, and within the estimate, he had, in anticipation of sanction, authorised the Executive Engineer to instruct these contractors to proceed with the work at once.

The Council sanctioned the acceptance of the tender.

SUICIDE.

A CORONER'S inquest was held on Thursday at the J. J. Hospital, on the body of George Stirling, aged twenty-four years. Deceased was an assistant apothecary in the Subordinate Medical Service, and had come to Bombay from Kurrachee on privilege leave for three months. He lived at Kalbadevie with his brother, William Stirling, a guard in the employ of the G. I. P. Railway. Deceased, it appears, was addicted to drink. On the morning in question he sent for a quarter of an ounce of camphor and half an ounce of hydrate of chloral from Dr. Da Cunha's dispensary, and took the poison in one draught with warm water. The paper in which the medicine was wrapped was marked "Poison" at the dispensary and was found lying on the ground in deceased's room. Deceased soon after the medicine was brought was found vomiting ; he became unconscious, and was at once removed to hospital by his brother at the instigation of Dr. Da Cunha, who was sent for. Deceased died half an hour after admission into hospital. The jury found that the deceased had committed suicide by taking hydrate of chloral.

THE PARSEE BAND.

WE noticed a few weeks ago the formation of an amateur band, the members of which are all Parsee youths of respectable parentage. Those who have heard them play pronounce the band to be in an efficient state ; and this is owing, to their master, Mr. Massy, who has bestowed much time and attention upon their training. As Mr. Massy has obtained an appointment at Poona, he is reluctantly obliged to relinquish his interesting charge. In recognition of his zealous endeavours to promote the cultivation of European band music amongst the Parsees, the members of the Elphinstone Cricket Club, in connection with which the band has been started, have resolved to present him with a purse on Sunday evening at six o'clock, in the Diorama Pavilion, just erected, opposite the new Boree-bunder railway station. A large number of ladies and gentlemen, about 300—have been invited to be present on the occasion, and a selection of music has been arraged to be performed by the band.

Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee, C.S.I., has kindly consented to preside on this occasion.

A NATIVE SOCIAL GATHERING.

MR. DAMODERDAS GORDHANDAS, who lately travelled in Europe, America, and China, and who, on his return, was promptly put out of caste, invited a large number of Hindu and Parsee ladies and gentlemen to the Framjee Cowasjee Hall on Thursday last, to hear an account of his travels. Some of the Hindu ladies present had babies in their arms, whose cries at times enlivened the proceedings. One or two native ladies made beds of shawls on the floor before their seats and deposited their offspring thereon. It is not often that Hindu ladies are allowed to emerge from their seclusion, and the sight was somewhat strange. The Hon'ble Rao Saheb Gopalrao Haree Deshmookh presided ; and among many others, the Thakore Saheb of Morvee was present. The Chairman having in a few words introduced the lecturer, Mr. Damodurdas made a few preliminary remarks, to the effect that if India ever wanted to rise in the scale of civilisation, and to vie with the countries of the West in energy, enlightenment, and learning, Indian women must be educated and drawn forth from the dark and pitiful seclusion which was their lot at present. Mr. Damoder contrasted the position of the women of Europe and America with that of the women of India, and reminded his hearers that in "the good old days" many Indian women had distinguished themselves by their learning and virtues, the name of Mirabai being still familiar to every Hindu household, where her moral songs were sung. Mr. Damoderdas then illustrated his lecture by a series of dissolving views of the various points of interest with which he had made acquaintance in his travels. The audience were gratified with views of Venice, and Rome, the Vatican, the Coliseum, the leanin tower of Pisa, the cities of Paris and Versailles, the House of Representatives in New York, and the Houses of Parliament in London, the Crystal Palace and the Hyde Park, the city of Pekin, &c., &c. Mr. Damoder also exhibited many "curiosities," such as the tiny boots of Chinese ladies, copy of a telegraph letter by the late President Garfield to his mother, the coins of the world, and many other articles. Speaking of America, the lecturer said that the continent opened up a vast field of enterprise for natives, and he was glad to find a number of Multanees with their wares in the principal cities of the United States. The lecture over, the Chairman moved a vote of thanks, which was cordially carried. The meeting, which was invited at the instance of Mr. Jugmohundas Samuldas, then separated, every one, especially the ladies, being highly satisfied with what they had seen and heard that evening.

HIGH COURT.—APRIL 14.

(Before Sir M. R. WESTROPP and the Hon'ble Mr. Justice MELVILL.)

DISCOVERY OF FRESH EVIDENCE.

CASSUMBHOY DHURUMSEY *vs.* MUNCHESHA BEJONJEE AND RAHIMBHOY HUBIBBHOY.

THE Advocate-General, instructed by Messrs. Macfarlane and Edgelow for the appellant, applied for a rule *nisi* calling upon Muncheesha Bejonjee, the plaintiff and one of the respondents, and Rahimbhoy Hubibbhoy, a defendant and a respondent, to show cause why the judgment passed by the Appeal Court on the 12th December, 1881, should not be reviewed. It was a case of an indemnity. Muncheesha Bejonjee sought to be indemnified in respect of his purchase of the assets of the Alliance Bank. The question in the appeal was whether Cassumbhoy Dhurumsey was to indemnify Muncheesha in respect of the whole sum or only to the extent of eleven anas, which, he said, was his share in the purchase of the assets, and that Rahimbhoy was liable for the remaining share. Their Lordships (the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Melvill) held on the appeal that Cassumbhoy was bound to indemnify Muncheesha *in toto*, and Rahimbhoy not at all. Now, Mr. Macfarlane's affidavit, on which the present application was made, stated that from what took place at the hearing of the appeal, it seemed to him that their Lordships placed great stress upon the fact that Cassumbhoy was unable to adduce and direct evidence to show that Rahimbhoy was connected with the bargain for the purchase of the assets of the Alliance Bank at the time the bargain was being closed in the begin[illegible] of March, 1868. It appeared from the evidence Ahmedbhoy Hubibbhoy, who was then a with his brother Rahimbhoy, paid into of Messrs. Dallas and Co., in the nam Jairam, a sum of Rs. 5,000 to enable tiate the purchase of the assets fr of the Bank, Messrs. P. E. Be Heerjee. Messrs. Dallas an unable to effect the negot Rs. 5,000 by a cheque on the paid the money to one notes for Rs. 1,000 each identical notes of the assets of t account with evidence, Mr showed th Orient was mater Co. ed t th

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

THE following notice has been addressed by the Superintendent to the officers of the Preventive Service :—

"Under recent Government orders I am requested to propose certain reductions. At present I am not in a position to say who will, or who will not, be affected ; but I shall be glad to know if any officers would like to take advantage of the present opportunity to retire either on pension or gratuity.

"1st.—An officer after 25 years' service, excluding furlough, sick leave, private affairs, leave, and service before the age of 22, is entitled to a pension of half average pay, *i.e.*, the average of five years.

"2nd.—After 15 years, one-third average pay.

"3rd.—Less than 15 years, one month's emolument for each completed year of service, or 12 months' emolument in all. If the emolument of the officer has been reduced during the last five years of his service otherwise than as a penalty, average emolument may, at discretion of the Local Government, be substituted for emolument. An op

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CRAWFORD AND COMPANY,
2, MARINE-STREET, BOMBAY.

On THURSDAY, the 20th instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by public Auction at No. 2, Tamarind Lane, Fort, on the 2nd floor of the house formerly occupied by the Royal Hotel, the valuable and handsome french-polished carved and plain blackwood and teakwood household furniture by Deschamps and other makers, superior plated ware of the best make, rich thin stem wreath-pattern and star cut glassware, handsome dinner, dessert and breakfast services, a large sized glass aquarium with gold fishes, English Brussels carpets, 18 by 23½ and 13½ by 17, bison, black buck, stag deer, elk and other horns, stuffed birds in glass cases, real China flower jars, card plates and punch bowls, large sized oil-paintings, chromolithographs, oleographs and photographs in gilt and maple frames, rich table ornaments, flower pots and vases, Silber's and Rink's table and wall lamps, lady and gentleman's saddles by Peat, &c., &c.

Catalogues will be published and the property is on view.

CRAWFORD & Co.

Bombay, 15th April, 1882.

BENNETT AND COMPANY,
No. 3, APOLLO-STREET.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 15th instant, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms, a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, &c.

AT 1 P. M.

1 Powerful well made brown Deccanee pony under 13-2, is free from vice and has been regularly riden by a lady.
1 handsome small pony dog-cart.
1 handsome English-built park-phaeton by J. & C. Lord of London.
1 handsome young iron-grey Arab horse, quiet, goes well in single harness.
1 handsome English-built dogcart, with a handsome bay Arab horse, and set of harness.
1 handsome 4 seated open carriage with a bay Australian mare and set of brass mounted harness complete.
1 handsome flea-bitten grey mare, height 14-3, 9 years old.
2 Government Arab stallions, "Desert Born," a chesnut Arab, 14-3½ high, "Digges Weel," a half Arab, 14-2½ high. Both horses are very handsome and powerful, and fit for either saddle or harness.
1 very handsome chesnut waler charger.
1 handsome roan Deccan pony, very fast and strong.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 15th April, at 1 p.m., Bombay time (sharp) Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at his residence, 168, Land's-End-road, Malabar Hill, the very valuable and handsome french-polished blackwood and teakwood plain and carved household furniture, best electro-plated ware, very rich crockery and glassware, first-rate double-barrel breach-loading J. Rs. rifle and gun in case, complete, by "Wright," a first-rate five-chamber revolver by "Colt," rich table ornaments, China and Japanese vases, first-rate pictures and oleographs, rich Persian and Brussel's carpets, a large durbar tent, handsome double and single hanging kerosine lamps, and a handsome English-built four-seated barouche by "Silk and Sons," and a handsome fast trotting chesnut Australian horse, set of English brass and plated mounted double harness, gentleman's and lady's saddles with bridle complete, a collection of choice and rare plants in tubs and pots, &c., &c., the property of the Hon. L. R. Ashburner, C.S.I. The same comprises vine-leaf pattern glassware, handsome dinner, dessert and tea services, best plated ware, such as dish covers, breakfast companion, hot-water plates, liquor frame, plated table, piano and chamber candlesticks, cutlery, photographic glasses, handsome blackwood and teakwood F. P. household furniture such as a set of dining table in 5 pieces for 24 persons, sideboard, what-not, pier, circular, oval, tripod, monkey, writing, dressing, washing and lady's tables, drawing and dining-room Madras-pattern arm and without-arm chairs, easy, folding, reclining, rocking and low chairs, drawing room ebony wood cretonne and spring chairs, drawing-room, conversation and reclining couches, hanging and table double wick kerosine lamps, centre ottoman, tete-a-tete couches, lined with satin and spring, handsome teakwood Madras-pattern camp cots with horsehair and cotton mattresses complete, almirahs, chest of drawers, clothes and gown presses, dressing and cheval glasses, Brussels and Persian carpets, real China and Japanese vases, rich tab'e ornaments, first-rate pictures and water-colours, tovel horse, bath tubs, dispense articles and cooking utensils, plants, &c.

AT 2 P. M.

1 handsome English-built 4 seated barouche by "Silk and Son," in excellent order.
1 handsome fast trotting Bay Australian carriage horse, goes in single and double harness, sets of English brass mounted single and double harness.
1 large durbar tent.
1 large rowtee and 1 small rowtee.
1 bathing rowtee.

Catalogues are published, and the property is now on view.

N.B.—The plants will be sold at 5 P.M. on the same day.

PERIODICAL AUCTION SALE OF CHINA AND JAPANESE CURIOSITIES.

Messrs. BENNETT & Co. have received instructions from Messrs. Glenroy and Co. to sell by Public Auction at their premises in No. 11, Hummum-street, Fort, opposite to Messrs. Thorpe and Co., on MONDAY, the 17th, and WEDNESDAY, the 19th April, at 1 p.m. each day, on account of the consignees—

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Catalogues can be published, and the above is now on view.

On MONDAY, the 24th April, at 1 P. M., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at Nesbit-road, Byculla, the valuable and handsome french-polished blackwood and teakwood plain and carved household furniture, best electro-plated ware, rich crockery and glassware, a handsome mahogany semi-grand pianoforte by Broadwood & Sons, in excellent order, a first-rate mahogany slate miniature bogatelle table, first-rate pictures and oleographs, rich table ornaments, China and Japanese vases, a handsome four-seated open carriage, a chesnut Arab horse, set of brass-mounted single harness, a collection of choice and rare plants in tubs and pots, &c., &c., the property of N. Richardson, Esq.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

N. B.—The plants will be sold at 5 P. M. on the same day.

On THURSDAY, the 27th, and FRIDAY, the 28th instant, at 1 P. M., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at his residence at Malabar Hill, the valuable and handsome French-polished blackwood and teakwood plain and carved household furniture, best plated ware, rich engraved glass and crockeryware, a first-rate mahogany full size slate billiard-table with lamp, cues, balls, &c., by Deschamps and Co., first-rate pictures and oleographs, rich table ornaments, Chiser and Japanese vases, handsome English-built carriage in good order by "Lewis, of Salisbury," a handsome English-built glass-fronted miniature Brougham by "Thoen," a pair of handsome fast trotting grey Arab horses, another pair of handsome grey Arab horses, sets of plated mounted double and single harness, &c., &c., &c., the property of the Hon'ble Sir Michael R. Westropp, Kt.

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CHAS. H. STRUTT, Major,
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1st.—To pass and confirm the Audited Accounts and Balance-sheet for the year ending 31st December, 1881.
2nd.—To declare a Dividend.
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